

LOGAN CABIN

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Main part of house built in 1809.
Kitchen wing added about 1845 or 1850.
Creamery added about 1860.
Built by William Logan who was a captain in the Revolutionary War and who came to the site of this cabin from So. Carolina in 1804. A small log cabin was built on the site that year which was replaced by the present 2 story cabin in 1809. The site had been a regular camp ground of the Indians and the old Valley Trail passed close by the site, which took a quarter section of 160 acres.

Lydia Logan, who now lives in Fairfield, is a granddaughter of the builder of the first cabin. She is 80 years old.(1934) A toll gate was operated here by her father for 26 years on the Fairfield-Brookville Pike and was operated by Lydia Logan 3 years after her father's death. She owned and lived in the cabin until about 1930 when the property was sold to DeWitt Curry, who now lives near Kitchel, Ind. and is the present owner.

-From the Accounts of Lydia Logan and "The History of Franklin County, Ind." Published in 1915 by B.E. Bowen & Co. Indianapolis, Ind.

(Signed)

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Approved

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